

WEDNESDAY, NOV. 29, 1865.

## Congressional Elections.

As yet, we have been able to hear nothing of the result of Congressional Elections in South Carolina. The vote polled in our own District was as follows: McGOWAN, 243; GRAFFIN, 51.

The Washington correspondent of the New York Times asserts that the President's proclamation announcing the restoration of the Southern States to the Union, and their right to full representation in Congress, and also restoring the writ of habeas corpus, will be issued before the end of November.

Gen. Gillmore has been relieved of the command of the department of South Carolina, and has been succeeded by Gen. Dan Sickles.

The utmost vigilance is exercised by the Quarantine Officers at Charleston, and every precaution is taken to guard against the introduction of Cholera in that city.

## Day of Thanksgiving.

President Johnson, has issued a proclamation appointing Thursday, the 7th day of December, as a day of Thanksgiving and Prayer.

## To Postmasters.

To postmasters, or those desiring the rank of P. M., we urge the importance of sending on their petitions and applications for appointment without delay, so as to be ready to resume, or assume the functions of their office when the mail service for their benighted State commences, which will be about the 1st of January next. Do, Messrs. P. M.'s, don't delay in this important matter, and thereby cause the people to remain for a longer period in the Egyptian darkness that now envelops them.

## General Commission and Forwarding Business.

See the Card of Messrs. BROWN & SCHIRMER. These gentlemen will give their prompt attention to all consignments made to them, and will effect prompt sales and returns. They will attend to the interest of their patrons, in all sections, at the shortest notice, and in the most satisfactory manner.

## Boots, Shoes, Brogans.

Perhaps the largest and most splendid assortment of Boots, Shoes and Brogans in the South is that of E. DALY, 133 Meeting Street, Charleston. All purchasers, and especially all country Merchants, will do well to consult his advertisement, in another column.

## The Jamaica Negro Revolt.

The Jamaica Standard says that over one thousand of the negroes engaged or implicated in the late insurrection in Jamaica have been hanged, and probably before the Court Martial closes it is thought ten thousand will suffer death. Prompt and terrible retribution is being meted out to the assassins and murderers by the Court Martial, which is in session all the day and part of the night. The few white leaders implicated in the hellish plot have already been executed—and the work goes on. Next week we will present details in full of some of the scenes of butchery and bloodshed enacted by the fiendish Africans during their late insurrection and indiscriminate killing of white people on that unfortunate island.

## A Rival of Col. Huie's Potatoes.

Our respected friend, GOODWIN M. ROYAN, Esq., sends us a Turnip of most unusual proportions. It weighs twelve lbs., and is white, firm and sweet. We know this latter fact, for we have plugged it. We say unlawful, because old C. M. GRAY, "of Co. A," tells us it was brought to this enormous size by conjuring. He says further that he knows the secret; in fact he told us how it was done. Query: Why doesn't C. M. raise such? As for our part, we are rather inclined to think our friend ROYAN has been buying Guano from CRUMP in Augusta.

## The Nestor of South Carolina Newspapers.

The fifty-years-old Charleston Courier comes to us lately with the familiar name of A. S. WILKINSON & Co. at its head. This fact rejoices us extremely. The Courier, ever since the close of the war, has been published under the immediate supervision of Mr. Geo. D. WHITTEKORE—appointed thereto by the Government, or the Government authorities. Now it is once more in the hands of its own people. "Old things have passed away, and all things have become new." The Courier, however, is one of the old things that (luckily for the South!) has not passed away. And yet it has become new. That is, it has on new clothes. The outward man is new; but the inward man is as of yore—able, honest, truthful, genial. Most especially do we congratulate our friend, Major JAMES H. MURKILL, on the present physical, moral, political, and financial integrity of the Courier. It shall be, as ever, one of the most honored and valued of the Advertiser's exchanges.

## An Ominous Movement of Troops.

A telegram which we publish this morning, (says the Charleston Courier, of the 23d,) but which should have been received in time for publication yesterday, announces the not wholly unexpected intelligence of the issuing of an order at Washington for all the United States Cavalry troops, excepting the Fifth Pennsylvania Regiment, to repair to San Antonio. The purport of this movement will be readily understood by those who have kept themselves informed as to the late notions in Mexico, and have noticed the effect of those actions in government circles at Washington. It is generally known that Major-General Logan, recently appointed as Minister to the Republic, is strongly in favor of a resolute enforcement of the Monroe Doctrine. France has had intimations sufficient to prepare her for a knowledge of the course which, at the present juncture, it seems to be the intention of our Government to pursue. Maximilian's days, we prophesy, are numbered, in the land of the Montezumas.

## "They Want Coffins."

Dr. FRANCH, of the Freedmen's Bureau, for the disapproval of whose sayings and doings in Edgefield, we incurred the wrathful displeasure of Gen. Hatch, has been entertaining the people of New York lately, at Dr. CUNNINGHAM'S Church, with a record of the curses his course, and that of his fellow fanatics, has inflicted upon the unhappy black race. He begs that the philanthropists of the North will come forward immediately with actual and tangible help for the negro. He says, speaking of the negroes: "They are now fast travelling down to the tomb. They want coffins, and will want thousands more before the January of 1866. They are starving and dying, calling for coffins because they can't get bread. I do not want to reproach the government or the people; but the freedmen require the assistance of both to save them from death." Dr. FRANCH told the whole truth that time at all events!

After an exciting debate the Mississippi Legislature refused to pass a bill allowing negroes to testify in the State Courts. The vote was yeas 43, nays 48.

## Fierce Insurrection.

We read in a late number of the Savannah Herald an instance of fierce and terrible insurrection on the part of certain free negroes on our coast. A Mr. HOLZCLOW, of Green Co. Ga., had a son killed in December last, at the siege of Savannah; the body of this young man was buried on the plantation of a Mr. CURRIE on the Carolina side of the river. Ten days ago, Mr. HOLZCLOW, attended by a friend named Logan, and a negro man, went to—or towards—this plantation to disinter and bring away the remains of his son. Arriving within a few miles of CURRIE'S plantation, the party were overtaken by some half-dozen armed negroes, who stopped Mr. HOLZCLOW; treated him with the most brutal and atrocious indignity; refused to let anything from him; robbed him of his revolver and some seventy or eighty dollars; would not allow him to stir a foot further; and finally drove him across the river. They furthermore informed him that the former owners of the river plantations need never attempt to reclaim them; that they intended to hold them forever, even in defiance of the military authorities. On his return to Savannah, Mr. HOLZCLOW was offered by Col. SICKLES, of the Freedmen's Bureau, every assistance in his power to enable him to recover the body of his son—and to obtain redress for the cruel outrages to which he had been subjected. Whether he did actually recover the body or not—or what the redress was—the newspaper account does not state.

Sometimes we think of these wretched free negroes with the greatest pity and commiseration; and then again the conviction forces itself upon our mind that about ten thousand of them will have to be shot or hanged before the rest are brought to their senses. Verily, what is to be done with them is no less an Elephant for the South than for the North.

## Advantageous to Buyers and Sellers Going to Augusta.

I. SIMON & CO. Next door to that monster establishment, GRAY & MULLANEY'S, Augusta, Ga., is the Ready-Made Clothing establishment of I. Simon & Co., "than which none more complete can be found in the South. SIMON'S has every possible sort of garment for men and boys—and of every possible texture and style. If you want anything in the clothing line—from Adam's fig leaf down to the baggy trousers of the present mode—go to SIMON'S. Read advertisement of the "One Price Store." One price, and that most reasonable!

## DAVIDSON &amp; CO.

Among our new advertisements this week is that of DAVIDSON & CO., (M. A. RANSOM constitutes the Co.), dealers in Hats and Caps, Boots and Shoes, Kerosine Oils, Lamps, &c., &c., 210 Broad Street, Augusta, Ga. Mr. RANSOM'S name is a pleasant and familiar one to us; for over and over during the war, did we record his noble and patriotic liberality to our soldiers—to Edgefield soldiers. We know him personally; and honor him for this; and we hope the bread he so unselfishly cast upon the water in those evil days, will now return to him an hundred fold.

## E. B. LONG &amp; CO.

The handsome, useful and fashionable articles for sale at the popular establishment of E. B. LONG & CO., 286 Broad Street, Augusta, Ga., are as numerous as the sands of the sea, and as diversified as the colors of Joseph's coat. They embrace Dry Goods, Upholstery, Groceries, Cutlery, Wines—but read the advertisement in another column. Read, call, examine; and we know you will purchase largely.

## POLLARD, COX, &amp; CO.

No Commission Merchants or Grocers in all the busy and bustling city of Augusta, stand fairer, or are more deservedly popular than Messrs. POLLARD, COX, & CO. Their place of business is No. 297 Broad Street. They solicit consignments of all kinds. And they keep always on hand a general and complete assortment of groceries and wines. Their card will be found in our present issue.

## GUANO AND OTHER FERTILIZERS.

Planters, Farmers, Gardeners, and even those who are guilty of truck patches, would lose nothing by pondering long and seriously the advertisement of Geo. R. CRUMP & Co., 209 Broad Street, Augusta, Ga. We know but little about Guano and "all that kind of thing;" but it appears to us that in these dark days of laxness and few fingers, such helps and stimulants would be eagerly sought after. If you want such things, go to CRUMP'S.

All the regular United States Cavalry, excepting the 50th regiment Pennsylvania Troops, have been ordered to San Antonio.

The Mobile Register says Major Hastings, with his colony, will sail from that port for Brazil on the 2d of December. Emigrants from this country had arrived at Rio Janeiro and were cordially welcomed by the Government and citizens, and were given every encouragement and assistance by the Minister of Agriculture.

The President has been advised by telegraph that the Florida Convention has annulled the ordinance of secession; abolished slavery, declaring that no person shall be incompetent to testify as witness on account of color in any manner wherein color is concerned; repudiated the Confederate State debt; amended the Constitution in other respects, and adjourned.

Mobile papers of the 11th instant, report that the steamer Duke was burned on the Tombigbee River, with 300 bales of cotton; also, that Gen. Duff Green, of Alabama, died at Mobile on the 11th instant.

The First National Bank of Charleston was organized on the 21st, and will immediately go into operation. Andrew Simmons is President, and Geo. W. Williams, Wm. L. Trembels, E. W. Marshall, M. C. Mordecai, David Jennings and Archibald Getty are the Directors.

## HYMENEAL.

MARRIED, on the 23rd inst., by Rev. L. R. Gwaltney, Mr. O. TOWLES CULBREATH and Miss FANNIE E. PRESCOTT, all of this District.

MARRIED, on Thursday, the 23d, by Rev. D. D. BRUNSON, at the bride's mother's, Mr. W. L. TALBERT and Miss MOLLIE E. SEIF, all of this District.

Here again, we have received a basket of superb cake—very superb indeed. At this rate we care not how many festive Hymen holds throughout the land. We wish our old Co. K. friend, the happy and fortunate bridegroom, real and life-long happiness; and to the fair bride we beg leave to offer our most respectful congratulations.

MARRIED, on Tuesday evening, 31st October, by the Rev. Saml. Daniel, at the residence of the bride's father, Col. BEN. E. NICHOLSON, late of the Hampton Legion, to Miss LIZZIE, fourth daughter of Major JOHN H. HUGHES.

MARRIED, on the 13th inst., by M. M. Padgett, Esq., Mr. J. A. RODGERS and Miss ELLIOT JOHNSON, all of this District.

MARRIED, on the 18th inst., by the Rev. H. T. Bartley, Mr. L. W. WARREN and Miss SARAH WHITTE, all of this District.

## For the Advertiser.

## Gen. James Jones.

Gen. JAMES JONES was born in the District of Edgefield, October 3rd 1805, and expired, after a brief illness, at his residence in Graniteville, on the morning of October 19th, 1865.

During his life it was his fortune to fill various positions of public trust, and all of them with a fidelity and conscientiousness that commanded universal commendation. Fond of social ease and enjoyment, he might have been regarded perhaps as exhibiting too little of carefulness and solicitude in the pursuit of his private interest. But when advanced to public office and employment, this seeming indifference and quietude never followed him there. In his official spheres, sleepless vigilance and laborious energy always accompanied him. No details however complicated or irksome, no labors however inviolable in their performance could weary or baffle him in the discharge of his public duty.

His services as an officer and soldier during the Indian war in Florida will never be forgotten by his companions-in-arms. Without disparagement to those who have filled the same office, it may be most truthfully said that the duties of the Inspector and Adjutant General of this State, were never more efficiently and satisfactorily performed than during the period of his administration. For a long series of years he occupied the position of Chairman of the Board of Visitors of the Military Academies of the State. These schools feeble and languishing at first, were the objects of his unceasing care and devotion. It was mainly through his energetic and unwearied efforts that they were introduced to public favor, and were built up into institutions most honorable to the State.

In the war waged by the United States upon the States of the South he commanded one of the Regiments from South Carolina, and no officer perhaps ever possessed a firmer hold than himself upon the respect and attachment of his command.

In cash and all of the public offices and employments which he filled, his admirable good sense, his sound and well poised judgment, and his noble conscientiousness, inspired perfect confidence, and the warmest esteem.

But it was only to his intimate and personal friends that his general worth, and his nobility of character were fully and thoroughly known. By the casual observer, his native modesty and reserve were sometimes mistaken for coldness and apathy. But beneath this quiet exterior were to be found the warmest social affections and the highest generosity. No man was ever more constant and faithful in his friendships, and no one had ever warmer or truer friends.

Possessed of such qualities, he could not be otherwise than revered and loved in the circle of his immediate family. The sorest calamity of his life was the loss of his devoted and noble wife, whom he survived not even one brief year—and the blessings of children had been denied to him. Under such circumstances, it was eminently characteristic of the man to give, as he did, his entire estate to the two orphans, the children of a poor stranger, whom he had adopted and reared as his own.

By all to whom he was properly known, his memory will be cherished as long as unostentatious virtue, incorruptible probity, and manly worth shall be esteemed among men.

## Gold Watch Lost!

LOST on Monday morning, the 27th, between Col. Huie's and Warren & Lovelace's Store, a double-cased GOLD WATCH, marked on the inside "A. M. H." A liberal reward will be paid the finder by leaving the Watch with Col. John Huie or Mr. R. W. Cannon.

A. M. HAWKINS.

Hendersonville, N. C., Nov. 28. 1t 48.

## Just Received.

500 POUNDS Choice BUCKWHEAT;  
1 Gross PEGGING AWLS;  
1 Bushel SHOE PEGS;  
1 Doz. WAFFLE and WAFER IRONS;  
1 Doz. Brass Bound PAIRS;  
1 Doz. KEEBLES;  
1 Doz. Cocoa Nut DIPPER, &c., &c.

We can afford to sell the above articles as cheap as they can be had in Augusta.

J. R. CARWILE &amp; CO.

Nov. 28. 1t 48.

## Cotton Seed For Sale!

400 BUSHELS OF PURE BOYD PROLIFIC COTTON SEED for sale at Winter Seat. These Cotton Seed will produce one-fourth more lint per acre than any other seed I ever planted. Apply in time if you want them. I also have 200 bushels of SEED OATS for sale.

A word to the wise is sufficient! Come and buy, and grow rich.

J. L. HARMON.

A sample of the Cotton Seed can be seen at the Advertiser Office.

Nov. 29. 1t 48.

## Lost or Misaid

A NOTE or SINGLE BILL on Robt. Lanier for Eighteen hundred and sixty-six dollars and ten cents (\$1866.93) dated 13th May 1863 and due one day after the date thereof, and payable to Robt. D. Brunson, or bearer. All persons are forewarned not to trade for said note as it has not been paid.

ROBT. D. BRUNSON.

Nov. 27. 4t 48.

## State of South Carolina,

EDGEFIELD DISTRICT.

Winney Padgett, et al.

M. A. Padgett, et al. vs. B. Y. Virtue of an order from the Court in this case, I will sell at the residence of Mrs. Winney Padgett, on WEDNESDAY, the 20th DECEMBER NEXT, the following Property mentioned in the pleadings, to wit: ONE TRACT OF LAND, containing 800 acres, more or less, adjoining lands of James D. Watson, Manchester Padgett, Dr. L. S. Smith and others.

Also, STOCK OF HORSES, CATTLE, HOGS, PLANTATION TOOLS, HOUSEHOLD AND KITCHEN FURNITURE, &c., &c., &c.

Land to be sold in several tracts, which will be more particularly described on day of sale.

Sold on a credit of five years with interest from day of sale, interest to be paid annually. Purchasers to give bonds with at least two good sureties, and mortgage of the land to secure the purchase money. Costs and expenses of sale to be paid in cash. Titles extra.

Z. W. CARWILE, C.E.D.

Nov. 24. 3t 48.

## More New Goods.

THE Subscriber has commenced Business again at his old stand, near the Post Office, where he will take pleasure in waiting on his customers, and hopes to share a liberal patronage.

L. R. TILLMAN.

Nov. 22. 2t 47.

## Attention!

THE POLICE COMPANY organized and accepted from the 9th Regiment, is ordered to assemble at Dantonsville, on Saturday, the 3d. Members of this Company who have taken the amnesty oath, are urged to do so prior to the 3d, as it is a necessary requisite that each member should take said oath.

C. A. CHEATHAM, Capt.

Nov. 22. 2t 47.

## Notice to Teachers.

THE TRUSTEES of the Edgefield Male Academy will elect a TEACHER for the year 1866, on Tuesday, the 5th December. Applicants will address Dr. R. T. Mims, Chairman.

GEO. A. ADDISON, Sec'y.

Edgefield, Nov. 13. 3t 48.

## Attention!

## The Extensive &amp; Liberal

## SHOE HOUSE,

133 Meeting Street,

CHARLESTON, S. C.

NOW CALLS THE ATTENTION OF MERCHANTS AND PLANTERS

To the following extensive Stock, which cannot be surpassed by any other House South of Mason & Dixon's Line:

150 Cases  
MEN'S, BOYS AND CHILDREN'S BOOTS AND SHOES.

100 Cases  
MEN'S, BOYS AND YOUTHS' FUR AND WOOL HATS, OF ALL SIZES AND QUALITIES.

300 Cases  
PLANTATION TURPENTINE

DONALDSON'S

BROGANS,

Of the first qualities and well adapted for the

FALL TRADE!

ALSO, A FULL ASSORTMENT OF

Trunks, Valises, Carpet Bags,

&amp;c., &amp;c., &amp;c.

Similar consignments weekly and semi-weekly.

Country Merchants will do well to call and examine my Stock before purchasing elsewhere.

E. DALY,

AGENT for Manufacturers.

Charleston, Nov. 25. 1m 48.

W. K. BROWN.

F. M. SCHIRMER.

BROWNE &amp; SCHIRMER,

COMMISSION AND FORWARDING

MERCHANTS,

No. 9, Exchange Place,

CHARLESTON, S. C.

References.

JOHN FRANKLIN &amp; Co., Charleston, S. C.

W. P. HALL,

T. SAVAGE HAYWARD &amp; Sons, Augusta, Ga.

FARMER, BENNETT &amp; BOWMAN, New York.

J. B. SULLIVAN, Edgefield, S. C.

Attention given to the purchase, sale and shipment of Cotton, etc. Liberal advances made on Cotton shipped through us to our New York references. Goods and Merchandise of all descriptions received and forwarded from this point and the terminus of the South Carolina Railroad.

Charleston, Nov. 26. 1m 44.

## Public Sale.

AS I have disposed of my Plantation, "Mt. A Vintage," I will sell at PUBLIC OUTCRY, on THURSDAY, December 14th, 1865, at 1 o'clock, A. M., all my perishable property, consisting of:

HORSES, MULES, WAGONS,

COWS, HOGS,

CORN, FODDER, PEAS, POTATOES,

HOUSEHOLD AND KITCHEN FURNITURE,

ONE LARGE SYRUP BOILER,

ONE FAMILY CARRIAGE AND HARNESS,

(Nearly new and in splendid order.)

ONE VERY FINE ROAD WAGON,

(New, Rambo's make.)

ONE FINE-TONED PIANO,

BLACKSMITH TOOLS,

And in fact everything on the plantation.

P. O'CONNOR.

Nov. 28. 3t 48.

## To Rent or Sell,

MY ENTIRE PLANTATION on Turkey

Creek, situate two miles from my residence, containing

ABOUT 1500 ACRES.

Five hundred acres in good condition for a crop of Grain or Corn. All necessary buildings on the place—sufficient to employ a large force. Apply soon.

DANIEL HOLLAND.

Nov. 27. 4t 48.

## Administrator's Sale.

In pursuance of an order from W. F. Durio, Esq., Ordinary for Edgefield District, I will proceed to sell at the late residence of JAMES D. HERLONG, deceased, on TUESDAY, the 12th day of December next, all the Personal Estate of said deceased, consisting in part as follows, viz:

7000 POUNDS GINNED COTTON,

HORSES AND MULES,

A FINE LOT OF FAT AND STOCK HOGS,

CATTLE, SHEEP AND GOATS,

CORN, FODDER, WHEAT AND OATS,

HOUSEHOLD AND KITCHEN FURNITURE,

PLANTATION AND BLACKSMITH TOOLS,

1 ROCKAWAY, 1 BUGGY AND 1 WAGON,

And various other articles.

Terms.—Cash on delivery, in Specie.

H. C. HERLONG, Adm'r.

Nov. 24. 2t 48.

## Administrator's Sale.

In pursuance of an order from W. F. Durio, Esq., Ordinary for Edgefield District, I shall proceed to sell on WEDNESDAY, the 13th day of December next, at the late residence of SAMUEL BLACKWELL, dec'd., all the personal property of said deceased, consisting of:

24 Bales Cotton,

CORN, FODDER, COTTON SEED,

FAT AND STOCK HOGS,

CATTLE AND SHEEP,

ONE YOKE OF OXEN,

HORSES AND MULES,

ONE BUGGY AND HARNESS,

ONE WAGON,

BLACKSMITH TOOLS,

HOUSEHOLD AND KITCHEN FURNITURE,

&amp;c., &amp;c., &amp;c.

Terms of Sale.—Cash, in Specie.

JOHN W. TOMPKINS, Adm'r.

Nov. 25. 3t 48.

## Executor's Sale.

By an order from the Ordinary, I shall proceed to sell at the late residence of A. B. ABELL, deceased, on TUESDAY, the 12th day of December next, all the Personal Estate of said deceased, consisting in part as follows:

HOUSEHOLD AND KITCHEN FURNITURE,

1 GOLD WATCH,

1 DOUBLE BARREL SHOT GUN,

FLOUR, COTTON, CORN, FODDER, PEAS,

HORSES, MULES, CATTLE AND HOGS,

PLANTATION IMPLEMENTS,

ONE GIN HEAD, ONE WAGON, ONE BUGGY,

&amp;c., &amp;c., &amp;c.

Terms Cash, in Specie.

A. M. MITCHELL, Ex'or.

Nov. 27. 2t 48.

## Seed Wheat for Sale.

100 BUSHELS Choice Little Red SEED WHEAT for sale.

D. R. STROTHER.

Nov. 25. 1t 48.

## ONE PRICE HOUSE.

224 BROAD STREET,

AUGUSTA, GEORGIA.

## SOM